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- (1) if no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith; or
- (2) if no petition for extension of time is enclosed but an EOT is required - and in this event, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely.

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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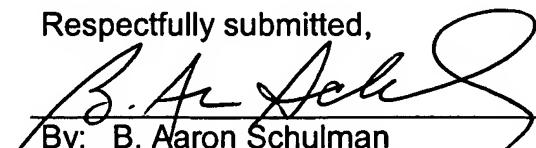
Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

- A) please consider the responsive **Remarks** provided herewith in **Attachment A**; and
- B) please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Specification** are reflected in the replacement paragraph(s) provided herewith in **Attachment B**.

In view of the amendments made and the remarks provided, it is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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